



**JURY FINDS TRUE BILL**

**Thaw Indicted for Murder in First Degree.**

**HE WILL PLEAD TODAY**

**Wife of Assassin Not Compelled to Testify Before the Grand Jury.**

**BODY OF WHITE IS BURIED**

**Murdered Man Found By Examining Physicians To Have Been Able To Live But Two Years More—Has Bright's Disease.**

NEW YORK, June 28.—Harry K. Thaw was indicted today for murder in the first degree of Stanford White. His wife, Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, appeared as a witness before the grand jury, but was excused from giving testimony by Assistant District Attorney Garvan, and by the jurors, who would not insist that she answer questions. Thaw will plead tomorrow. No time will be set for the trial until District Attorney Jerome returns to the city next week. In the meantime witnesses have been summoned to appear in John Doe proceedings at the District Attorney's office. White, who was quietly buried today at St. James, in the opinion of physicians who performed the autopsy, had not more than two years to live, when his life was shortened by Thaw's bullet. He was found suffering from Bright's Disease, incipient tuberculosis and from fatty degeneration of the liver. Mrs. Thaw's appearance before the grand jury had been looked forward to with considerable interest, as it was thought she might possibly throw some light on the tragedy. When ushered into the jury room Mrs. Thaw was asked: "What is your name?" "Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw." "How old are you?" "Twenty years." "When did you last see and meet Stanford White, deceased?" Without becoming in the least excited she replied with emphasis on each word. "I hope that you gentlemen will not insist that I answer any more questions. I must respectfully decline to answer the questions you intend to ask me. I say this with all respect to you gentlemen." Asked for her reason she said, "I might say something that might do harm to my husband and a wife ought to do all she can to protect her husband. I beg of you not to insist in putting further questions to me because if you do I will have to decline to answer."

**ROOSEVELT BACKS IDE'S POSITION**

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Inquiry at the state department today developed that the President fully indorsed Governor General Ide's position in regard to the title to the San Juan De Dios property. It is intimated that the Vatican authorities disapproved the letter written by Archbishop Harty. Ide will proceed in the courts in the near future to recover possession of the property.

**FEAR MASSACRE OF JEWS.**

LONDON, June 28.—According to a dispatch from Warsaw to the Jewish Chronicle, Uman, 15 miles southeast of Kiev, is in a ferment and a massacre of Jews is feared. The Jewish population of the town is in a state of panic.

**PREPARE TO ADJUST INSURANCE LOSSES**

**COMMITTEES FROM COMPANIES INVESTIGATING EXTENT OF LOSS TO BANKING INSTITUTIONS.**

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—The first step was taken yesterday by the insurance companies to adjust the losses of big banking corporations and estates by the fire in this city. Los Angeles committees were then appointed by the companies at the instance of the committee of fifteen, the executive body of the fire underwriters, which has urged that reports be made as soon as possible. These committees will consider and report all the facts necessary for a prompt and full consideration of the true value of the property before the fire, the earthquake damage if any, the loss by fire, and all other factors that count in determining what sums are due to the important financial interests represented in these instances. The financial center of the city is thus represented by the insurance companies.

**NO OUTBREAK OCCURS.**

KIEV, June 28.—In spite of rumors of an impending anti-Jewish outbreak the day passed quietly. Patrols are in all the streets and the military and police authorities have taken stringent measures to prevent excesses.

**COURT SERVANTS REVOLT.**

LONDON, June 28.—The Times St. Petersburg correspondent learns that the court is about to return to Tsarskoe Selo owing to the discovery of a revolution among the Palace servants at Peterhof.

**INTEREST IS GREAT**

**Result of White's Inquest Awaited By Public.**

**MRS. THAW MAY NOT TESTIFY**

**Tells Friend She Will Go Before the Grand Jury But Will Refuse to Answer Any of the Questions.**

NEW YORK, June 28.—The coroner's inquest and the meeting of the grand jury today both to formally name the murderer of Stanford White, divided public interest today with the developments of yesterday when an insanity commission declared Harry K. Thaw sane and Mrs. Thaw visited her husband in his cell in the Tombs prison. There was much speculation today as to just what position Mrs. Thaw would take when she appeared before the grand jury today.

It was asserted that the wife had told her friends that she would go to prison rather than testify in the grand jury room where proceedings are secret and where the only counsel is a representative of the district attorney's office.

Mrs. Thaw has told a most intimate friend that she would "Stand pat," and refuse to say anything no matter how important the question.

This assertion seems to have been brought from Mrs. Thaw by the intention of the district attorney's office to make her a witness for the prosecution.

Assistant District Attorneys Nott and Garvin, it was said today are determined that the woman shall be examined before the grand jury where she can be put under oath and where it will be possible to learn from her the motive that prompted Thaw to kill White. Mr. Nott says that Mrs. Thaw cannot claim the privilege of refusing to answer questions just because she is the wife of a man accused of a crime and that this privilege is extended only to what are known as confidential communications between husband and wife. If she refuses to answer other questions she can

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**SURRENDER OR PERISH**

**Czar and Court Must Bow Before Parliament.**

**REVOLUTION SPREADS**

**Time Almost Arrived When Emperor Must Dismiss Goremkin Ministry.**

**PEASANTS ABANDON FIELDS**

**Roving Bands of Peasants Wander Through Provinces Compelling Others to Join Them—Parliament's Attack.**

**A SERIOUS REVOLT ON THE POLISH FRONTIER.**

ST. PETERSBURG (Friday) June 28.—Later last night it was reported that serious disorders had broken out in the garrison of Osowiec, on the great fortresses guarding the Polish frontier against German invasion. It is impossible to obtain details, but an army officer intimated to the Associated Press that the affair was more serious than any that had heretofore occurred. Other mutinous acts are reported from the Samara, Batoum, and Vladikavak garrisons.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 28.—The campaign which the opposition in the lower house is waging to compel the Emperor to dismiss the Goremkin ministry and accept the principle of a responsible ministry, promises to be successful soon. Both the Emperor and the court are being frightened into surrender by alarming spread of revolutionary ideas among the troops.

When the Preobrajensky regiment "his majesty's own" pronounced its solidarity with parliament, the Emperor's eyes were opened and the court began to realize there was only a step from that to declaring allegiance to parliament as against the government. News from the provinces shows that the general anarchy is growing. In Altark and Tauride provinces the peasants are abandoning their fields and in Tula province roving bands are marching through the country dragging in their wake not only workers from the fields, but domestic servants. The only conservative group in the lower house, the one headed by Count Heydon, has at last bowed its head before the storm of radicalism and declared in favor of practically the whole of the constitutional democrats agrarian program, including the expropriation of state, church, crown and private land, and insisting only on their distribution into private holdings.

Parliament seems practically to have abandoned its attempts to frame legislation. Its energy is directed towards attacking the government by the medium of interpellations for the double purpose of strengthening its authority with the masses and ousting the ministry. Today the Bialystok report was again postponed. The interpellations began with the demand to know why the government prohibited the proposed meeting of peasant leagues and permitted that of the nobles.

**AGITATORS ARRESTED.**

KREMENTCHUG, June 28.—The police today arrested several agitators on a charge of seeking to "Provoke a program (massacre) of the Jews."

**HEROIC ATTEMPT OF BOY TO SAVE SISTER**

**THREE-YEAR OLD DOROTHY JORDAN'S CLOTHES IGNITED—BOY RUSHES TO SISTER'S AID.**

CHICAGO, June 28.—In spite of the efforts of 3-year-old Donald Jordan to save her life from the flames which enveloped her, Dorothy, his twin sister, was fatally burned in the presence of the little fellow and his mother, Mrs. Hubert Jordan yesterday.

The children were playing in the yard of their home when a box of matches they had taken from the house became ignited and set fire to the clothes of little Dorothy.

Regardless of his own danger, Donald rushed to her aid. With his bare hands he attempted to to beat out the flames. He failed in this and throwing the girl on the grass, he tried with all his strength to roll her over and over. His little hands were cruelly burned, but he stuck to his task till his mother arrived. Mrs. Jordan seized her baby in her arms and cast her into a tub of water. The flames were extinguished but too late to save her life.

**LONGWORTHS DINED WITH JULES CAMBON**

LONDON, June 28.—French Ambassador Cambon entertained Ambassador Reid, Mrs. Reid, and Mr. and Mrs. Longworth at dinner tonight. The guests included members of the diplomatic service and officials of the foreign offices.

**HOUSE GETS BUSY**

**Conference Reports on Rate and Agricultural Bill Adopted.**

**NIGHT SESSION IS TAKEN**

**Labors From Eleven O'clock A. M. Until Eleven P. M.—Conferees Supported on Meat Inspection Amendment—No Rest Taken.**

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The House worked under forced draft today and accomplished an immense amount of business preparatory to adjournment at the week's end. Conference reports on a number of measures were adopted without debate, but required special rules in other particulars to effect the consideration and adoption of important conference agreements. Interest centered about the conference reports on the railroad rate bill and the agricultural appropriation bill. Both were considered and adopted under the blanket rule permitting consideration of conference reports without being printed in the record. The house expressed confidence in the conferees on the agricultural bill by instructing them not to recede from the meat inspection amendment. On the rate bill there was a general expression of satisfaction, but the measure should be perfected. Without taking recess, the house labored from 11 this morning until 11 tonight.

After the legislative business, which kept the house at the grindstone until 8 o'clock, had been disposed of, the crowded galleries listened to another series of political speeches.

**PRESIDENT WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE**

COLORADO SPRINGS, June 28.—W. A. Conant, who was delegate to the first republican convention more than fifty years ago from New York, recently wrote President Roosevelt, asking him if he intended to be a candidate for reelection, to which Secretary Loeb replied stating the President says "That you will have to vote for some other republican next time."

**PORK BARREL TURNED DOWN**

**Senate Frowns on Public Building Bill.**

**NOTHING GETS THROUGH**

**Efforts of Individual Senators to Secure Appropriations Prove Fruitless.**

**MRS. MORRIS SKIRTS AIRED**

**Tillman Resurrects Ejection Scandal and Treats the Senate to Some Oratory on the Subject—Deficiency Bill Is Passed.**

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The senate today consumed the greater part of the day discussing the public building bill. Efforts by several senators to secure increases for public buildings were in no case successful.

In reporting the bill, Scott, chairman of the committee on public grounds and buildings referred to it as "The pork barrel." The agricultural bill reappeared in a portion of the conference report.

The report was complete except with a reference to the meat inspection provision and on that another conference is ordered. There was some desultory discussion of the conference report on the pure food bill, but its disposition is postponed until tomorrow. The conference committee's report on the Lake Erie and Ohio River ship canal bill, was accepted without debate. Tillman found opportunity to make his speech on the ejection last March, of Mrs. Minor Morris, by direction of Assistant Secretary Barnes. He reiterated his charge that Mrs. Morris was outrageously treated and said the President endorsed the action by appointing Barnes postmaster at Washington. The last of great appropriation bills, the general deficiency, was reached during the day and a night session was held for its consideration at which time it was passed. The bill carries over \$11,000,000. The Senate tonight also passed the public building bill.

**RATE HEARING AT WALLA WALLA ENDS**

**PROBABLY BE SOME TIME BEFORE THE COMMISSION WILL HAND DOWN ITS DECISION.**

WALLA WALLA, Wash., June 28.—The State Railroad Commission finished the hearing of the Walla Walla demand for distributing rates today. All the testimony was in at noon and the attorneys submitted the question without argument. This matter has been one of the hardest problems that the commission has been called on to decide and it will probably be some time before a decision is handed down by the commission. The Walla Walla jobbers feel confident that the showing made will result in some relief being made, even if a complete distributing rate is not granted the jobbers of this city.

**GIVE FRUIT MEN RIDE.**

LOS ANGELES, June 28.—A resolution was passed yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce to the effect that Congress be urged to include in the Railroad Rate bill a clause which will give the fruit shippers privilege of accompanying shipments, as stockmen are now allowed to do. It is said that such personal care is of the utmost importance to citrus fruit growers for the prevention of decay in the fruit.

**DIES, REFUSING ANY INFORMATION**

**MEMBER OF NEW YORK CRIMINAL GANG SHOT IN BACK—WILL NOT TELL HIS ASSAILANT'S NAME**

NEW YORK, June 28.—The police found another mystery on their hands early today, and to add to the chapter of murders yesterday. Thomas Petto was found about two o'clock this morning with a pistol wound in his back, lying on the sidewalk on Forsyth street, one of the most densely populated sections of the city. He was alive and conscious, but when the police asked him the name of his assailant he pleaded "code of honor" which prohibits a man assaulted from giving any information to the authorities. Then declaring that he would get even, and that there had been "no trouble in which the police had any interest" he was taken to a hospital just a few moments before he died. The Petto case illustrates one of the most peculiar phases of criminal life on the east side. "Gangs" are in continual feuds and where murders are frequent, but the slayers are seldom caught because of the refusal of persons assaulted to assist the police.

**OUSTED FROM OFFICE.**

Terra Haute, Ind., June 28.—The city council in the impeachment charges brought against Mayor Edward J. Bodaman yesterday found him guilty as charged and declared him ousted from office. Bidaman was impeached for alleged failure to enforce certain city ordinances.

**FAVOR STANDARD**

**Oil Freight Rates Made Only to Big Company.**

**DEMAND PROPER FACILITIES**

**Southern Railway Will Not Allow Special Rates Except Storage Tanks Are Built Which Debars Small Dealers.**

NEW ORLEANS, June 28.—Testimony on the freight rates affecting seven southern states was taken here today by the interstate commerce commission. All were witnesses of the independent oil dealers. The book on oil tariff rates issued by the Southern Railway was put in evidence. W. O. Hudson, a former employe of the Standard Oil Company, testified that the rate published, was between the Standard Oil stations. Martin Cary of Buffalo, representing the Standard Oil pointed out a proviso in this book, that rates will be made to any station when proper facilities for unloading are furnished. Commissioner Prouty replying said:

"I understand that proper facilities for unloading, means storage tanks, and that small dealers cannot build such tanks."

M. Milburn, secretary and treasurer of the National Refining Company of Memphis, Tenn., testified that in Arkansas his salesmen had been arrested by the State oil inspectors on the charge that their oil was below the Standard. These arrests had never been prosecuted. The salesman had frequently been told that if they would leave town there would be no prosecution. At Walnut Ridge, the witness said, one inspector was also a distributor for the Water Pierce Oil Company.

**WISCONSIN PEOPLE CHEER BRYAN**

MILWAUKEE, June 28.—William J. Bryan was strongly endorsed by the democratic state convention today. There were two occasions on which Bryan was mentioned, and in both instances his name was cheered repeatedly.